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#### Important Monthly Indicators

#### Bank Clearings for Individual Cities-April 1957 and 195

Important Monthly	Indicators			Bank Clearings for Individual Cities—April 1957 and 1956					
	APR.	APR.	MAR .		(Thous ands	of dollars)	4		
INDUSTRIAL:	1957	1956	1957		APR. 1957	APR. 1956	Change	MAR. 1957	
Anthracite Production Inet tons	42,110	2,233	42,750	Bos ton	3,053,053	2,856,062	+ 6.9	2,977,428	
Construction Contracts (\$)	2.776.431	3.051,000	3,077,997	Philadelphia	5,508,000	5,306,000	+ 3.8	5,449,000	
Copper Production ret. (net tons)	144,013	143,330	143,961	Buffalo	610,157	568,013	+ 7.4	601,416	
Copper Deliveries ref. inet tons !	116,716	143,049	113,571	Pittsburgh	2,084,871	1,926,963	+ 8.2	2,065,356	
Industrial Production (FRB)1947-49=100	145.0	143.0	146.0	Cleveland	2,514,090	2,401,348	+ 4.7	2,451,340	
Mtg. Employment (BLS)1947-49=100	104.4	106.0	105.4	Cincinnati	1,238,111	1,197,047	+ 3.4	1,221,345	
Mfg. Payrolls (BLS)1947-49=100	161.4	158.2	163.7	Baltimore	1,623,591	779,043	+ 4.7	815,724	
Newsprint Production (net tons)	717,253	656,711	738,658	Richmond	847,276 1,702,200	1,600,000	+ 6.4	1,645,400	
Newsprint Shipments (net tons)	701,018 N. A.	6,925	7,247	New Orleans	919,990	775,687	+ 18.6	901,332	
Rayon Yarn Deliveries (pounds)	57,800	58,100	58,100	Memphis	577,202	546,284	+ 5.7	536,326	
Rubber Consumption (long tons)	121,078	121,848	131,357	Chicago	4,853,051	4,726,282	+ 2.7	4,803,102	
Steel Ingot Production (net tons)	9,814	10,524	10,589	Detroit	3,334,360	3,099,673	+ 7.6	3,325,399	
Zinc Production (net tons)	96,506	88,664	96,924	St. Louis	1,619,358	1,626,548	- 0.5	1,546,674	
Zinc Shipments inet tons	55,182	74,788	67,441	Louisville	830,625	818,100	+ 1.5	796,864	
				Minneapolis	1,684,389	1,524,464	+ 10.5	1,647,106	
	MAR .	MAR -	FEB.	Kansas City	1,743,063	1,651,057	+ 5.6	1,723,486	
	1957	1956	1957	Omaha	639,653	622,638	+ 2.7	662,165	
	4 000	4 000	4 010	Denver	820,418	744,961	+ 10.1	1,945,396	
Coke Production Inet tons	6,895	6,899	6,212	Dallas	1,995,027	1,625,247	+ 8.5	1,779,211	
Cotton Consumption (bales)	60,300	916,200 57,618	55,374	Los Angeles	1,763,266	3,859,695	+ 1.5	3,919,472	
Lead Production prim. (net tons)	52,357	54,174	48,012	San Francisco	3,010,422	2,822,943	+ 6.6	2,814,274	
Lead Shipments (net tons)	38,225	39,344	37,517	Portland, Ore	776,311	762,799	+ 1.8	816,111	
Motor Vehicles, Factory Sales (units)	677,778	689,982	662,028	Seattle	878,403	763,453	+ 15.1	878,665	
Tires - Production (units)	9,766	9,193	9,169	***************************************					
Tires - Shipments (units)	9,114	8,627	8,539	Total 25 Cities	48,544,901	46,035,132	+ 5.5	47,777,029	
Wool Consumption (pounds)	36,500	39,200	36,400	New York	48,035,557	45,033,209	+ 6.7	51,269,100	
	FEB. 1957	FEB. 1956	JAN . 1957	Total 26 Cities	96,580,458	91,068,341	+ 6.1	99,046,129	
Cement Production (barrels)	17,860	19,578	19,308						
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#### Summary of Bank Clearings-Monthly-1954 to Date

IMITITIONS of dollars

	Tot	tal 26 Unl	ted States	Cities		New	York City		Total	25 Cities	Excluding N.	. Y. C.
	1957	1956	1955	1954	1957	1956	1955	1954	1957	1956	1955	1954
January	103,253	96,104	87,462	80,946	51,411	47,789	45,004	42,599	51,842	48,314	42,458	38,347
February	87,144	82,375	80,589	76,130	43,572	39,550	42,646	40,866	43,572	42,825	37,943	35,264
March	99,046	95,734	95,249	90,883	51,269	49,167	49,403	47,723	47,777	46,568	45,846	43,160
April	96,580		83,559	82,815	48,035	45,033	41,673	43,437	48,545	46,035	41,887	39,378
May		96,905	86,047	79,771		48,884	42,099	42,435		48,020	43,948	37,336
June		96,069	91,966	89,211		48,987	46.545	47,566		47,082	45,421	41.645
July		94,463	83,362	83.729		46,341	41.017	44.207		48,122	42.345	39.522
August		93,323	86,995	82.817		45,442	41,453	43,345		47,882	45.543	39,472
September		85,266	86,612	80,283		41,832	42,020	40,710		43,434	44.592	39,573
October		100,190		83,176		48,711	44,905	43,134		51,479	45.737	40,042
November		93.716	88,603	84,476		45,898	43,333	43,079		47,818	45,270	41,397
December		100,171	97,510			51,523	50,787	52,928		48,648	46,724	45,895
Total		1.195.383	1.058.596	1.013.060		559.157	530.883	539.099		566 226	597 719	481.031

#### Summary of Industrial and Commercial Failures-Monthly-1954 to Date

	1957	Number of	Fallures 1955	1954	Curren 1957	t Liabilit 1956	les 1000 1955	Omitted) 1954	Total 1957	Liebiliti 1956	es 1000 0 1955	mitted) 1954
January	1.148	1,048	939	867	\$54,060	\$42,890	\$37,872	\$29,592	\$54,825	\$43.712	\$39,000	\$29,906
February	1,146	1.024	877	926	65,406	49.189	42.056	47,774	66,200	49,436	42,194	47,909
March	1,336	1,170	1,038	1,102	55,833	42.622	41,209	57,280	56,175	43,843	41,289	57,746
April	1,175	985	903	975	57,103	41,871	35,968	42,512	57,347	42,666	36,299	43,160
May		1.164	955	943		59,901	34,714	38,494		60,334	34.840	39,068
June		1,105	914	965		43,013	36,667	41,613		43,293	37,171	41,615
July		1,018	861	856		48,689	32,543	32,230		48,713	32,706	32,725
August		1,101	888	912		55,040	36,028	32.582		55,363	36,425	32,712
September	***	932	822	819		39,313	33,120	36,381		39,820	33,348	37,757
October		1,158	919	871	*****	50,004	34,777	29,000		50,343	34,777	29,308
November		999	945	933		39.886	42,783	35,067		40,285	43.073	36.780
December		982	908	917		50,279	41,643	40,103		50,358	42,008	40,925
Total		10 696	10 060	11 096		\$540 407	*440 200	**** ***		****	A	****

#### United States Wholesale Commodity Price Index

# BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

INDEX OF WHOLESALE COMMODITY PRICES IREVISED! 1947-49=100

	APR. 1957	MAR . 1957	FEB. 1957	APR . 1956
Group:				
ALL COMMODITIES	117.2	116.9	117.0	113.6
Farm Products	90.6	88.8	88.8	88.8
All Commodities Other Than	104.3	103.7	103.9	100.4
Farm Products and Foods	125.3	125.4	125.5	121.6
Textile Products and Apparel	95.4	95.4	95.7	95.1
Hides, Skins and Leather Products	98.8	98.4	98.0	100.6
fuel, Power and Lighting Materials	118.9	119.2	119.6	110.6
Chemicals and Allied Products	109.1	108.8	108.8	106.9
Rubber and Rubber Products	144.5	144.3	143.9	145.0
Lumber and Wood Products	120.2	120.1	120.7	128.5
Pulp. Paper and Allied Products	128.5	128.7	128.5	127.4
Metals and Metal Products	150.1	151.0	151.4	147.7
Machinery and Motive Products	145.0	144.8	144.5	135.7
furniture. Other Household Durables	121.8	121.9	121.9	118.0
Non-Metallic Minerals - Structural	134.5	133.2	132.7	128.6
Tobacco Mires. & Bottled Beverages	124.4	124.1	124.1	121.7
Miscellaneous	91.4	92.0	92.4	92.1

#### United States Consumer Price Index (Cost of Living)

BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

Revised Series: 1947-49 = 100

	APR. 1957	MAR. 1957	FEB. 1957	APR . 1956
Group:				
ALL ITEMS	119.3	118.9	118.7	114.9
	113.8	113.2	113.6	109.6
Housing	125.2	124.9	124.5	120.8
Transportation	135.5	135.1	134.4	126.4
Medical Care	136.9	136.4	135.5	131.6
Reading and Recreation	111.8	110.5	110.0	108.2
Other Goods and Services	124-0	104.0	124.0	101.4

#### Dun & Bradstreet Wholesale Food Price Index-1955 to Date

1957		1956		1955	
Jan. 1	\$6.13	Jan. 3	\$5.95	Jan. 4	\$0.75
Jan. 8	6.10	Jan. 10	5.92	Jan. Il	6.81
ian. 15	6.13	Jan. 17	5.86	Jan. 18	0.84
Jan. 22	6.14	Jan. 24	5.89	Jan. 25	6.88
Jan. 29	6-16	Jan. 31	5.95	Feb. I	0.85
Feb. 5	6.13	Feb. 7	5.90	Feb. 8	0.77
Feb. 12	6.13	Feb. 14	5.94	Feb. 15	0.69
feb. 19	6.12	feb. 21	5.93	Feb. 22	6.65
Feb. 26	6.11	Feb. 28	5.95	Mar. I.	6.63
War . 5	6.09	Mar. 6	5.94	Mar. 8	6.55
Mar. 12	6.12	Mar. 13	5.96	Mar. 15	6.53
War. 19	6.20	Mar. 20	5.93	Mar. 22	6.55
Mar. 26	6.22	Mar. 27	5.89	Mar. 29	6.52
	6.17	Apr. 3	5.96	Apr. 5	6.49
Apr. 2	6.19			Apr. 12	6.54
Apr. 9		Apr. 10	5.96		
Apr. 16	6.19	Apr. 17	6.01	Apr. 19	6.52
Apr. 23	6.11	Apr. 24	6.04	Apr. 26	6.42
Apr. 30	6.12	May I	6.04	May 3	6.38
May 7	6.09	May 8	6.03	May 10	6.39
May 14	6.08	May IS	6.14	May 17	6.37
May 21	6.09	May 22	6.11	May 24	6.34
May 28		May 29	6.11	May 31	6.33
June 4		June Seese	6.18	June 7	6.39
June Il		June 12	6.14	June 14	6.51
June 18		June 19	6.09	June 21	6.49
June 25		June 26	6.03	June 28	6.42
July 2		July 3	6.05	July S	6.33
July 9		July 10	6.06	July 12	6.26
July 16		July 17	6.01	July 19	6.17
July 23		July 24	6.08	July 26	6.17
July 30		July 31	6.08	Aug. 2	6.21
Aug. 6		Aug. 7	6.10	Aug. 9	6.24
Aug. 13	****	Aug. 14	6.08	Aug. 16	6.23
Aug. 20		Aug. 21	6.09	Aug. 23	6.21
Aug. 27		Aug. 28	6-04	Aug. 30	6.15
Sept. 3		Sept. 4	6.05	Sept. 6	6.19
Sept. 10		Sept. II	6.07	Sept. 13	6.26
Sept. 17		Sept. 18	6.06	Sept. 20	6.25
Sept. 24		Sept. 25	6.08	Sept. 27	6.28
	****	Oct. 2			6.17
Oct. 1	****		6.00	Oct. 4	
Oct. 8	****	Oct. 9	5.97	Oct. 11	6.11
Oct. 15		Oct. 16	6.01	Oct. 18	6.08
Oct. 22	****	Oct. 23	5.97	Oct. 25	6.05
Oct. 29	****	Oct. 30	5.96	Nov. 1	6.02
Nov. 5	2555	Nov. 6	5.95	Nov. 8	6.00
Nev. 12		Nov. 13	6.01	Nov. 15	6.04
Nov. 19		Nov. 20	6.10	Nov. 22	6.02
Nov. 26	****	Nov. 27	6.16	Nov. 29	5.99
Dec. 3		Dec. 4	6.14	Dec. 6	5.99
Dec. 10		Dec. 11	6.18	Dec. 13	5.96
Dec. 17		Dec. 18	6-15	Dec. 20	5.96
Dec. 24		Dec. 25	6.12	Dec. 27	5.97
Dec. 31	****				
Average		Average	\$6.03	Average	\$6.34
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Note: The Wholesole food Price Index represents the sum total of the price per pound of 31 foodstuffs in general use.

#### Daily Wholesale Price Index of 30 Basic Commodities

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United States and Foreign Wholesale Price Index Numbers											
BASE YEAR	MAR . 1957	FE8. 1957	JAN. 1957	DEC. 1956	MAR. 1956						
U. S. (B.L.S.)1947-49	116.9	117.0	116.9	116.2	112.8						
Canada1935-39	228.4	228.4	229.4	228.0	223.3						
Austria1953	107.0	109.0	113.0	113.0	109.0						
Denmark	109.0	109.0	100.0	107.0	107.0						
france	104.0	104.0	106.0	104.0	101.0						
India	100.0				93.0						
Japan	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	99.0						
Mexico	132.0	131.0	131.0	130.0	131.0						
Norway1953	112.0	112.0	112.0	112.0	106.0						
Sweden	109.0	110.0	110.0	110.0	109.0						
Swifzerland1953	106.0	105.0	105.0	106.0	102.0						
U. K. 18d. of Tr. 1 1953	109.0	109.0	110.0	111.0	107.0						
	FEB.	JAN.	DEC.	NOV.	FEB.						
	1957	1957	1956	1956	1956						
Belgium	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	104.0						
Braz111953		****	191.0	189.0	159.0						
Costa Rica	109.0	109.0	108-0	109.0	108.0						
Cuba			97.0	96.0	95.0						
Dominican Republic 1953		100.0	93.0	97.0	92.0						
Germany 1953	105.0	105.0	105.0	104.0	102.0						
Greece1953	131.0	131.0	131.0	132.0	126.0						
Guatemala		100.0	98.0	99.0	100.0						
Israel		137.0	134.0	132.0	126.0						
1taly1953	101.0	103.0	103.0	102.0	103.0						
Lebanon	100.0	98.0	97.0	98.0	99.0						
Morocco1953		102.0	102.0	101.0	97.0						
Netherlands1953		108-0	107.0	107.0	104.0						
Peru1953		131.0	130.0	128.0	125.0						
Philipines		98.0	98.0	97.0	93.0						
Portugal	101.0	101.0	101.0	99.0	98.0						
Spaln	****	125.0	124.0	119.0	110.0						
Turkey			149.0	142.0	135.0						
Union South Africa1953	107.0	107.0	107.0	106.0	106.0						
Venezuela		100.0	101.0	101.0	102.0						

	MAY	APR.	MAR .	FEB.	JAN.
	1957	1957	1957	1957	1957
1	285.07	287.67	290.66	294.89	ø
2	285.25	287.68	Ø		299.78
3	285.81	287.76	1	t	300.04
4		287.91	290.66	294.87	299.53
5	1	286.99	291.13	293.72	W
6	285.68		290.85	293.52	1
7	285.48	1	290.93	293.71	299.51
8	285.84	287.33	290.33	292.73	299.21
9	285.83	287.45			299.09
0	286-32	287.86	1	1	299.21
11	W	287.63	290.40	291.94	299.76
12	1	287.97	290.83	******	******
13	286.27	Ø	290.54	292.42	1
4	286.08	t	290.35	292.52	300-11
15	286.18	286.64	289.97	291.95	300.30
6	285.71	285.84	******	#	300.82
7	287.22	287.21	1	1	300.82
8	*	287.03	289.40	290.93	299.75
9	t	******	289.57	290.97	******
20	287-33	*	289.80	291.36	1
21	286.86	t	290.15	290.55	299.09
22	286.58	286.98	289.28	******	299.09
23	286.75	286.56	#	9	298.98
4	*****	285.76	1	1	298.99
25	******	285.87	289.10	291.02	298.31
26	*****	286.02	289.32	290.60	W
27		******	289.19	290.99	1
28	******	1	288.77	290.06	298.66
29		285.62	287.75	270.00	298.28
30		285.10	201413		297.40
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		Holiday	(†) Sunday		290.02
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1957	300.82				285.07	May	1
1956	301.71	Nov.			278.79	Jan.	17
1955	280.79			********	270.68	June	3
1954	279.82			********	270.72	June	30
1953	284.18	July	23		273 04	Owk	0

# BUILDING PERMIT VALUES FOR 217 CITIES

#### April 1957 and 1956

The following table gives monthly building permit values by cities and by geographical regions. The tigures represent estimated building costs under permits issued to prospective builders within the corporate limits of the cities enumerated. They include new residential and new non-residential buildings, as well as additions, alterations, and repairs. Land costs are not included. The data are compiled from reports furnished monthly to Dun & Bradstreet, Inc., by the building departments of the various cities.

	APRIL 1957	APRIL 1956	MARCH 1957		APRIL 1957	APRIL 1956	MARCH 1957
New England:		***		South Atlantic:			
Boston, Mass	\$1,554,000	\$10,228,898	\$3,509,800	Asheville, N. C	\$373,620	\$282,730 3,847,345	\$151,001
Bridgeport, Conn	920,465	835,190	1,031,250	Atlanta, Ga	9,655,330	3,847,345	5,264,726
Bristol, Conn	342,284 292,305	476,199 1,725,884	258,810 1,358,700	Augusta, Ga	5,759,928	343,769 4,719,558	454,711
Combaides Mass	983,185	490,583	1,184,845	Charles too	169,271	164,593	7,639,252
Boston, Mass. Bridgeport, Conn. Bristol, Conn. Brockton, Mass. Cambridge, Mass. Chelsea, Mass. Everett, Mass. Fil River, Mass. Fitchburg, Mass. Greenwich, Conn.	9,105	63,709	72,460	Asheville, N. C Atlanta, Ga Augusta, Ga Battimore, Md Charleston, S. C Charlotte, N. C Coral Gables, Fla Greensboro, N. C Greenville, S. C Jacksonville, Fla Lynchburg, Va	1,403,808	2,418,660	377,245 1,363,315
Everett. Mass	112,792	84,243	2,136,462	Coral Gables, Fla	1,392,225	1.109.268	731,023
fall River, Mass	219,090	223,625	90,695	Greensboro. N. C	1,142,448	1,190,546	2,022,753
Fitchburg, Mass	495,172	76,855	165,200	Greenville, S. C	658,767	1,007,495	163.850
Greenwich, Conn Hartford, Conn Haverhill, Mass Holyoke, Mass	1,213,985	1,834,250	1,582,835	Jacksonville, Fla	1,325,258	1,435,795	2,499,284
Hartford, Conn	1,465,142	540,994	2,206,708	Lynchburg, Va	1,064,660	478,875	937,130
Haverhill, Mass	327,575	145,075	1,040,430	Macon, Ga	390,901	389,635	280,852
HOTYORE, Mass	208,875 142,204	275,000 479,043	188,450	Miami, Fla	5,490,103	4,728,192 1,338,842	4,551,947
Lawrence, Mass Lowell, Mass	424,190	375,365	125,285	Norfolk Va	609,515	1,555,560	700,973
Lynn, Mass	323,945	463,024	122,250	Richmond, Va	1.617.637	7.095.292	1,128,695
Manchester, N. H	1,011,731	564,875	280,152	Roanoke, Va	795.075	2,667,050	416.396
Medford, Mass	683,275	105,600	495,475	Savannah, Ga	227,350	445,850	322.375
New Bedford, Mass	394,355	453,830	743,340	Tampa, Fla	4,341,113 9,098,532	3,638,220	3,891,970
New Britain, Conn	558,375 610,398	581,950 779,342	7,426,970	Jacksonville, fla. Lynchburg, Va. Macon, Ga. Miami, Fla. Miami Beach, Fla. Norfolk, Va. Richmond, Va. Roanoke, Va. Savannah, Ga. Tampa, Fla. Washington, D. C. Winston Salem, N. C.	3,275,120	3,179,719 704,270	4,429,171
Newton Mass	507,750	696,600	1,525,535	winston salem, N. C.	3,2/3,120	104,210	752,801
Norwalk . Conn	766,900	1,020,200	847,531	Total So. Atlantic	\$51,427,308	\$42,741,264	\$42,706,227
Portland, Me	481,170	585.320	212,165				
Providence, R. 1	567.100	944.050	459,750	East Centrals			
Quincy, Mass	189,514	577.451	555.938	Akron, Ohio	\$5,175,636	\$4,599,465	\$4,079,736
Lynn, Mass Manchesber, N. H. Medford, Mass. New Bedford, Mass. New Britain, Conn. New Haven, Conn. Newton, Mass. Norwall, Conn. Portland, Me. Providence, R. I. Quincy, Mass. Salem, Mass. Springfield, Mass. Springfield, Mass. Stamford, Conn.	248,750	528,238	1,016,029	Akron, Ohio	270,981 260,745	956,246	825,000 596,475
Springfield Mass	94,615	1,314,518	528,833	Berwyn, Ills	75,000e	639,570	390,473
Stamford, Conn	1,500,000e	1,483,850	5,237,063	Canton Ohio	436,964	759,215	75,000 873,879
Waterbury, Conn	365,575	640,000	635,050	Chicago, Ills	27.548.957	37,632,845	33.610.997
Waterbury, Conn West Hartford, Conn	1,030,682	5,009,987	931.722	Cincinnati, Ohio	27,548,957 9,090,325	9,161,175	6.848.800
Worcester, Mass	3,628,733	492,550	1,191,325	Clarksburg, W. Va	166,075	242.230	6,848,800
	*** *** ***	*** ***	*** *** ***	Cleveland, Ohlo	8,543,200	7,991,400	5.693.200
Total New England	\$23,288,176	\$34,202,468	\$37,866,038	Columbus, Ohio	3,954,975 1,306,630	3,715,125	4,149,645
Middle Atlantic:				Cincinnati, Ohio. Clarksburg, W. Va. Cleveland, Ohio. Columbus, Ohio. Dayton, Ohio. Detroit, Mich. East St. Louis, Ilis. Evanston, Ilis. Evansville, Ind. Film, Mich. Fort Wayne, Ind. Grand Kapids, Mich. Green Bay, Wisc.	1,300,030	1,192,740 7,540,093	1,357,385
Manhattan	\$8,995,000	\$1,520,000	\$57,730,000	East St. Louis, Ills	11,457,444 500,000e	453,000	309,875
Manhattan	3,924,695	5.972.875	1.869.960	Evenston, Ills	1,079,125	1,164,169	1,124,612
Bronx	3,544,000	4.404.200	2,769,650	Evansville, Ind	217.428	575.480	258,600
Bronx	252,705	929,150	710,175	Filmt, Mich	2,039,690	2,302,050	1,103,275
grooklyn	42,606,952	7,679,400	5,441,500	Fort Wayne, Ind	045,028	1,755,137	614,207
Queens	8,320,675 10,834,100	8,976,250	2,611,720 6,783,900	Grand Kanids Mich.	1,965,654 358,375	2,777,004	845,486
Queens	2,574,085	725,810	1,301,895	Green Bay. Wisc	706,581	2,431,505	1,989,143
Bronx	1,438,400	1,287,719	1,749,800	Hammond, Ind	1,196,899	1,958,978	829,595
Richmond t	946,675	115,710	274,550	Green Bay, Wisc  Hammond, Ind  Huntington, W. Va  Indianapolis, Ind		738,398	196.700
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Total N. Y. City	\$83,437,287 (†) Alterations	\$33,453,589	\$81,243,150 (†) Alteration	Lansing, Mich Lima, Ohio Louisville, Ky	835,945 187,075	1,327,599	994,885
	ITI Miterations		the wires arrow	Louisville, Ky	3,063,614	888,358 4,696,155	1,628,942
Albany, N. Y	\$1,773,017	\$721,111	\$857,948	Louisville, Ky. Madison, Wisc. Milwoukee, Wisc. Newark, Ohio. Oak Park, Ills. Peoria, Ills. Pontlac, Mich. Quincy, Ills. Racine, Wisc. Rockford, Ills. Saginaw, Mich. South Bend, Ind.	2,623,960	1.302.445	1,589,328
Allentown, Parrers	985,820	2,069,525	\$857,948 872,880	Milwaukee, Wisc	8.413.740	1,302,445	8,218,406
Altoone, Pe	268,182	392,372	157,995	Newark, Ohio	903.721	463,155	259,230
Atlantic City, N. J.	162,157	70,000	113,758	Oak Park, Ills	2,521,104	359,539	104,930
Baycons N. I	104,670	190,300 74,443	250,570 36,000	Pontles Mich	3,445,484	633,625	447,478
Binghamton, N. Y	363,504	203,749	462,384	Quincy, Ills	876,707	272,897	176,468
Buttalo, N. Y	725,044	1,783,499	2,433,353	Racine, Wiscons	1.062.355	1,365,654	726,394
Camden, N. J	224,596	116,985	238.693	Rockford, Ills	1,469,750	2,592,130	1,011,525
East Orange, N. J	1,953,928	168,873	258,223	Saginaw, Mich	942,998	1.651.600	772,407
Elizabeth, N. J	303,345	481,440	135,440	South Bend, Ind	916,213	1,163,427	1,167,525
Eimira, N. Y	246,215	85,000	114,525	Springfield, Ills	418,214	472,759	362,687
Harrishure Pa	1,507,005 507,505	885,000 1,585,070	4,105,908	Springfield, lits Springfield, Ohio Superior, Wisc Terre Haute, Ind	521,965 247,207	237,000	194,074 535,520
James town . N. Y	152,830	671,739	375,896	Terre Haute, Ind	216,090	41,750	701,495
Jersey City, N. J	287,555	830,421	318,534	Toledo, Ohio Waukegan, Ilis Wheeling, W. Va Youngstown, Ohio Zanesville, Ohio	1.733.180	1,900,283	921,440
Lancaster, Passesses	287,555 368,989	981,308	95,415	Waukegan, Ills	1,222,613	913,155	938,949
Nount Vernon, N. Y	468,928	973,110	141,799	Wheeling, W. Va	485,930	243,800	777,165
Newark, N. J.	3,634,835	6,272,825	561,135	Youngstown, Ohio	1,648,875	1,573,627	1,277,524
New Brunswick, N. J.	97,450 561,460	993,245	152,100	Zanesville, Unio	93,616	35,975	40,890
Nianara Falls . N. Y.	460 735	677,962 897,883	1,028,193	Total East Central	\$114,140,048	\$127,956,638	\$110,898,083
Philadelphia, Pa	469,735 13,537,200	14,033,820	9,059,140	TOTAL ESTA SERVICE	1114,140,048	1151, A50'07a	1110,000,003
Pittsburgh, Pa	7,222,707	4.526.650	7,366,977	South Central:			
Poughkeeps le, N. Y	144,900	1,210,959	27,000	Abilene, Texas	\$2,167,538	\$1,506,482	\$953,849
Reading, Parrice	1,152,730	479,306	542,824	Amarillo, Texas	1,677,493	1,879,528	2,882,326
Kochester, N. T	2,328,079	1,372,519	850,612	Austin, lexas	4,423,863	5,543,833	2,345,579
Scranton, Passes	241,573 4'7,521	969,062 181,329	256,400 812,881	Abilene, leass Amarillo, Texas Austillo, Texas Beaumont, Texas Birmingham, Ala Chattanoga, Tenn Dallas, Texas El Paso, Texas	2,128,281	842,072 3,522,939	2,449,795
Syracuse, N. Y	1,443,079	1,935,900	4,044,807	Chattanooga, Tenn	916.322	1,771,566	941,148
Troy, N. Y	98.205	191,190	82,283	Dailes, Texas	9.631.901	8,939,442	13.723.339
Utica, N. Y	1,067,700	160,550	464,750	El Paso, Texas	2,438,456	2,223,166	2,411,256
Albany, N. Y. Albany, P. Altona, Pa. Bayonne, N. J. Bayonne, N. J. Buffalo, N. Y. Buffalo, N. Y. Buffalo, N. Y. Esst Orange, N. J. Elizabeth, N. J. Amerisburg, Pa. Jamestoun, N. Y. Jersey City, N. J. Lancas ter, Pa. Nount Vernon, N. Y. Newark, N. J. New Brunswick, N. J. New Brunswick, N. J. New Rochelle, N. Y. Niagare Falls, N. Y. Philadelphia, Pa. Pliftsburgh, Pa. Ploughkeepile, N. Y. Keading, Pa. Rochester, N. Y. Schenectady, N. Y. Schenectady, N. Y. Schenectady, N. Y. Scranton, Pa. Syraecuse, N. Y. Troy, N. Y. Wilkes Barre, Pa. Williamsport, Pa. Wilmingfon, Dela. Yonkers, N. Y. York, Pa.	186,175	101,324	338,253	Dallas, Texas El Peso, Texas Fort Smith, Ark Fort Worth, Texas Galveston, Texas Houston, Texas Jackson, Miss	588,870	375.015	321,805
Wilkes Barre Pa	2,416,390	958,454	105,975	Calveston Texas	2,340,306	3,527,113	4,095,356
Williamsport, Pa	98,304	148,730	197,210	Houston, Texas	334,390 14,776,905	1,268,085	16,531,087
Wilmington, Dela	327,615	150,558	432,450	Jackson, Miss		1,616,566	783.412
Yonkers, N. Y	1.874.765	1,074,244	1,091,814	Knoxville, Tenn Little Rock, Ark	980.550	799,998	2,076,995
York, Pa	191,548	165,709	158,850	Little Rock, Ark	449,791	843,738	2.054.356
Total Middle Att	1121 600 053	100 010 010	\$121,164,310	Memphis, Tenn Mobile, Ala	4,457,445	4,950,288	2,792,313
migute niitti	\$131,698,857	\$82,912,848		mourie, Midirities.	5,414,724	812,123	1,977,984 following page.
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# BUILDING PERMIT VALUES FOR 217 CITIES-Continued

#### April 1957 and 1956

	APRIL 1957	APRIL	MARCH		APRIL	APRIL	MARCH
		1956	1957		1957	1956	1957
So. Cent. (Cont.)				Mountain:			
Montgomery, Ala	\$1.262.950	\$1.862.078	\$821,540	Albuquerque, N. M	\$2.328.434	\$2,397,427	\$3,780,328
Muskogee, Okla	243.050	161,250	269,600	Billings. Mont	685,100	580,400	806,900
Nashville, Tenn	822.703	1.045.947	656,897	Boise. Ideho	399.698	442,992	354,031
New Orleans, La	4.621.164	8,642,185	5,510,843	Butte, Mont	79,035	166,115	122,121
Oklahoma City, Okla	2,522,629	3.142.805	2,406,090	Colorado Springs, Col.	679,790	1,492,890	982,022
Port Arthur, Texas	916,420	386,838	309,540	Denver, Col	8,671,570	9,960,400	6,441,850
San Angelo, Texas	415.038	670,238	424,296	Great Falls, Mont	1,082,007	472,720	1,022,437
San Antonio. Texas	3.657.807	5.130.591	4.780.025	Ogden, Utah	580,000	1,553,600	1,393,300
Shreveport, La	1,997,961	2,383,946	1.348.811	Phoenix, Ariz	2,212,142	1.460.250	2,130,312
Tulse, Okla	2.331.160	1,193,000	2,853,520	Pueblo, Col	579.947	506,973	669,604
Waco, Texas	816,594	2,187,680	536,948	Salt Lake City, Utah	1,418,566	2,015,337	2,836,907
Wichita Falls, Texas.	2,891,907	714,280	945,439	Tucson, Arlz	1,619,672	986,920	3,931,160
Total So. Central	\$82,445,303	\$83,340,551	\$78,652,140	Total Mountain	\$20,335,961	\$22,036,024	\$24,470,972
West Central:				Pacific:			
Cedar Rapids . lowe	\$940,739	\$2,419,903	\$1,375,922	Bakersfield, Cal	\$710,925	\$1,240,204	\$667,936
Davenport. lowe	645,102	1,083,165	453,410	Berkeley, Cal	654,891	1,212,045	1,762,964
Des Moines, lowa	2,723,785	2,181,334	1,202,012	Beverly Hills, Cal	1,581,453	1,079,523	507,066
Dubuque, lows	409,361	457,643	357,093	Fresno, Cal	1.089.452	1,730,381	1,106,950
Duluth, Minn	691.390	1,367,234	381,853	Giendale, Cal	1,475,284	1,519,776	936,145
Fargo, N. D	930,065	980,635	229,440	Long Beach, Cal	8,859,808	3,800,220	4,368,675
Kansas City, Kas	530,375	519,538	317,435	Los Angeles, Cal	57.095.189	36,499,805	51,937,409
Kansas City, Mo	4,832,000	4,600,000	3,406,000	Oakland, Cal	2,979,426	3,938,634	2,187,768
Lincoln, Nebr	1,301,124	1,229,247	875,919	Pasadena, Cal	2,237,891	1,398,262	1,612,744
Minneapolis, Minn	6,977,064	4,133,687	2,884,621	Partland, Ore	4,058,400	5,302,375	3,675,225
Omaha. Nebr	2,485,091	3,775,325	2,417,434	Sacramento, Cal	1,592,421	3,384,584	1,509,680
St. Joseph, Mo	686,150	623,725	167,800	San Diego, Cal	15,046,106	8,588,599	9,750,221
St. Louis, Mo	4.580.450	3,796,324	1,957,012	- San Francisco, Cal	11.654.325	5,515,258	7,254,487
St. Paul, Minn	3,841,011	3,485,279	1,956,218	San Jose, Cal	9,147,945	5,270,810	3,132,895
Sloux City, lowa	393.095	582,650	839,136	Seattle, Wash	5,462,250	8,339,605	4,087,725
Sioux Falls, S. D	729.941	1.263.922	603,055	Spokane, Wash	2,172,016	2,683,552	2,859,085
Topeka, Kas	1.097.770	651,711	1,938,200	Stockton, Cal	1,112,416	1,690,687	4,961,117
Wichita, Kas	2,675,929	3,014,291	2,588,430	Tecome, Wash	1,360,975	1,543,342	2,661,299
Total West Central	\$36,470,442	\$36,165,613	\$23,950,990	Total Pacific	\$128,291,173	\$94,737,762	\$104,979,391
				Total 217 Cities	\$588,097,268	\$524,093,168	\$544,688,151

# BUILDING PERMIT VALUES FOR 217 CITIES

#### 4 Months 1957, 1956, and 1955

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Nee England: Bostion, Mass.								
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# BUILDING PERMIT VALUES FOR 217 CITIES-Continued

# 4 Months 1957, 1956, and 1955

	4 MONTHS 1957	4 MONTHS 1956	4 MONTHS 1955		4 MONTHS 1957	4 MONTHS	4 MONTHS 1955
South Atl. (Cont.)				South Cent. (Cont. )	1737	1930	1935
Richmond, Va	\$7,915,299	\$11,938,435	\$6,999,108	Mobile, Ala	\$14,444,988	\$4,513,956	\$6,249,736
Roanoke, Va	2,893,036	10,446,657	4,106,843	Montgomery, Ala	3,415,427	5,056,851	5,350,571
Savannah, Ga	1,044,475	1,749,484	1,990,925	Mustage Ohla	731 100	459,600	
Tempa, Fla	16,446,227	18,997,277	17,037,160	Muskogee, Okla	731,100	3 965 346	371,400
Washington D. C.	01 047 405	16,942.886	23,395,260	Nashville, Tenn	2,221,345	3,865,346	4,169,536
Washington, D. C	21,247,495		23,393,200	New Orleans, La	21,332,209	31,456,618	45,604,573
Winston Salem, N. C.	6,966,685	4,597,219	3,899,150	Oklahome City, Okla.	10,670,109	11,575,036	17,751,912
*	**** *** ***	**** *** ***	**** *** ***	Port Arthur, Texas	2,132,825	1,640,416	1,861,235
Total South Atl	\$183,131,512	\$168,639,566	\$187,944,402	San Angelo, Texas	4,785,145	2,439,456	2,841,660
				San Antonio, Texas	16,550,047	26,474,699	21,595,414
East Central:				Shreveport, La	6,621,377	10,248,602	14,352,326
Akron, Ohio	\$13,268,991	\$14,564,671	\$10,617,029	Tuisa, Okla	6,482,431	6,205,510	8,941,672
Bay City, Mich	1,420,820	1,503,594	1,141,034	Waco, Texas	4,154,948	5,896,269	5,038,631
Berwyn, Ills	1,139,445	1,235,479	1,879,968	Wichita falls , Texas.	5,634,545	3,174,900	4,477,740
Bluefield, W. Va	203,800	206,245	635,595				
Canton, Ohio	2,504,303	2,142,668	1,715,847	Total South Cent	\$330,754,118	\$338,519,072	\$368,236,557
Chicago, Ilis	119,501,876	111,939,587	77,974,100	TOTAL SOUTH CENTIS	,330,734,110	\$330,319,072	\$300,230,337
Cincinnati, Ohio	23,396,800	17,593,795	12,198,010	W 1 C11-			
Clarks and The Control of the Contro	601,006	545,487	673,238	West Central:	40 040 100	** *** ***	** *** ***
Clarksburg, W. Va	10 064 300	04 002 400	10 343 300	Cedar Rapids, lowe	\$2,968,193	\$5,425,181	\$4,647,934
Cleveland, Ohlo Columbus, Ohlo	19,064,300	24,083,400	19,343,300	Davenport, towa	2,269,759	3,927,176	3,084,418
Columbus, Unio	16,233,120	11,670,105	10,369,705	Des Moines, lowa	5,904,923	6,488,001	11,045,741
Dayton, Ohio	4,766,985	6,517,179	11,655,053	Dubuque, lowa	1,350,439	2,351,384	1,249,014
Detroit, Mich	36,197,694	32,582,826	44,539,258	Duluth, Minn	1,377,316	2,180,164	2,354,650
East St. Louis, Ills	910,452	,867,900	1,128,070	Fergo, N. D	1,387,755	1,145,660	2,129,665
Evanston, Ills	6,932,287	3,716,562	4,338,096	Kansas City, Kas	2,126,558	3,198,323	3,549,558
Evensville, Ind	702,028	1,548,562	1,606,366	Kansas City, Mo	14,531,000	14,540,000	23,545,000
Filnt, Mich	5,733,855	7,940,455	9,490,675	Lincoln, Neb	2,905,624	4,363,878	5,427,884
fort Wayne, Ind	3,581,073	4,679,877	6,179,957	Minneapolis, Minn	13,355,283	8,560,540	14,409,554
Gary, Ind	4,138,296	5,950,834	4,817,715	Omaha, Neb	8,497,798	10,214,420	7,357,542
Grand Rapids, Mich	1,610,886	3,296,565	3,151,210	St. Joseph. Mo	1,309,350	1,248,675	2,422,632
Green Bay Wis	3,186,841	4,119,623	7,643,074	St. Louis, Mo	11,655,336	11,733,956	21,117,845
Hammond, Ind	3,180,741	6,225,640	4,723,917	St. Paul, Minn	12,643,258	9,498,379	9,650,203
Huntington, W. Va	1,285,136	1,530,934	1,491,871	Sloux City, lowa	1,585,231	1,729,725	1,159,550
indianapolis, ind	16,560,223	10,399,646	7,872,606	Sioux Fails, S. D	1,723,908	2,495,996	2,946,298
Lensing, Mich	2,305,431	3,705,859	7,299,528	Topeka, Kas	4,367,080	2,422,941	2,596,834
Lima, Ohio	561,425	1,297,658	885,150	Wichita, Kas	9,411,786	12,798,777	19,373,833
Louisville, Ky	6,789,172	12,875,732	7,558,780	WICHITO, Kas	2,411,700	12,170,111	17,373,633
Madison, Wis	4,922,113	3,340,182	3,669,029	To bot Week Contact	\$99,370,597	\$104,323,176	\$138,068,155
	35,291,886	29,987,271	31,259,605	Total West Central	\$99,310,391	\$104,323,170	\$138,008,133
MI Iwaukee, Wis		29,987,271	1,761,085				
Newark, Ohio	2,017,426	1,194,290	1,701,083	Mountain:	411 010 025	*** *** ***	*** *** ***
Oak Park, Ills	5,058,642	799,608	955,648	Albuquerque, N. M	\$11,043,275	\$11,560,188	\$15,266,358
Peorie, Ills	4,769,887	3,819,758	3,938,611	Billings, Mont	1,713,400	2,038,950	2,012,750
Pontiac, Mich	1,770,501	2,492,273	3,273,037	Boise, Ideho Butte, Mont	1,152,461	1,323,349	1,969,795
Quincy, Ills	2,780,414	1,101,935	1,294,746	Butte, Mont	767,156	285,570	190,428
Racine, Wis	3,441,214	4,611,517	4,710,363	Colorado Springs, Col.	3,663,652	6,021,556	7,579,895
Rockford, Ills	3,953,815	6,080,730	6,881,710	Denver, Col	23,665,470	34,223,453	36,829,600
Seginaw, Mich	2,449,199	3,014,639	2,961,253	Great falls, Mont	4,112,254	2,573,200	1,821,061
South Bend, Ind	5,092,966	3,607,740	4,883,870	Ogden, Utah	2,563,900	3,184,100	3,600,500
Springfield, Ills	1,071,586	4,150,369	1,602,252	Phoenix, Ariz	8,158,654	7,536,899	7,034,673
Springfield, Ohio	2,063,219	671,185	1,719,650	Pueblo, Col	3,414,862	2,910,823	4,264,719
Superior, Wis	833,006	1,106,799	148,212	Salt Lake City, U	5,331,471	7,062,605	5,844,614
Terre Haute, Ind	1,191,035	988,653	748,346	Tucson, Arlz	7,787,852	5,721,654	4,050,451
Toledo, Ohlo	4,507,420	5,796,660	6,871,234				
Waukegan, Ills	2,599,812	4,852,631	1,632,703	Total Mountain	\$73,374,407	\$84,442,347	\$90,464,844
Wheeling, W. Va	3,440,223	1,202,311	1,161,840				
Youngs town, Ohlo	4,771,660	6.096.532	3,990,732	Pacific:			
Zanesville, Ohio	306,806	292,135	164,992	Bakerstleid, Cal	\$3,196,048	\$5,561,665	\$4,366,983
				Berkeley, Cal	3,609,388	2,558,916	3,247,598
Total East Central	\$388,109,816	\$378,948,101	\$344,558,070	Beverly Hills, Cal.	4,012,351	2,628,282	3,415,927
TOTAL CONT. CENTRAL.	************	,,	***********	Fresno, Cal	4,741,481	4 030 700	10 122 004
South Central:				Classic, Call.	4 040 005	6,230,702	10,133,894
	\$5,091,112	\$9,786,309	\$6,707,197	Glendale, Cal Long Beach, Cal	4,940,905	7,837,885	4,932,970
Abilene, Texas		7,031,193	9,249,876	Long Beach, Cal	22,269,173	26,487,495	26,156,285
Amerillo, Texas	10,816,067	19,074,989	14,142,948	Los Angeles, Cal	177,437,202	148,076,856	138,803,295
Austin, Texas	14,983,303	19,074,989		Oakland, Cal	11,973,840	11,795,366	8,739,998
Beaumont, Texas	5,948,711	4,992,874	3,358,282	Postdena, Cal Portland, Ore	6,729,770	7,124,009	5,921,233
Birmingham, Ale	12,456,494	13,508,685	12,074,392	rorfland, Ore	14,318,315	15,509,485	15,818,560
Chattenooge, Tenn	3,353,756	4,128,387	2,659,444	Secremento, Cel	7,095,151	13,857,323	9,323,684
Dalles, Texes	40,473,878	54,837,392	62,093,542	San Diego, Cal	45,308,094	29,694,888	29,373,715
El Paso, Texas	11,366,264	10,092,579	13,343,819	San Francisco, Cal	27,464,320	22,581,414	18,595,452
Fort Smith, Ark	2,015,520	1,727,658	1,353,679	San Jose, Cal	19,756,059	17,085,259	11.477.579
Fort Worth, Texas	17,115,278	13,108,282	21,016,195	Seattle. Wash	21,209,722	24,269,315	25,600,500
Galveston, Texas	834,217	2,139,484	939,319	Spokene, Wash	8,164,132	8,139,283	7,922,626
Houston, Texas	81,089,256	56,919,203	52,700,167	Stockton, Cal	7,471,669	4,269,658	2,981,827
Jackson, Miss	6,241,879	4,913,172	5,142,048	Tacoma, Wash	6,454,968	4,967,588	4,897,213
Knoxville, Tenn	3,598,311	4,376,404	3,561,622				
Little Rock, Frk	4,343,174	3,120,278	4,669,204	Total Pacific	\$396,152,588	\$358,675,389	\$331,709,339
Memphis, Tenn	11,850,142	15,754,924	16,618,417		2000	702010121307	100111001339
mempines remarkation				Total 217 Cities	\$1,983,999,040	\$1,896,206,428	\$1,912,891,020
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# BUILDING PERMIT VALUES FOR 217 CITIES-MONTHLY-1955 TO DATE

	TOTAL UN	HTED STATES - 2	217 CITIES		NEW YORK CITY	,	OUTSIDE NEW YORK CITY - 216 CITIES				
	1957	1956	1955	1957	1956	1955	1957	1956	1955		
Jan Feb Mar Apr June July Aug Sept Oct Nov	\$417,388,126 433,748,495 544,688,151 588,097,268	\$431,357,658 437,622,349 503,133,253 524,093,168 596,114,034 558,856,212 593,229,352 615,258,760 526,234,213 535,228,128 489,401,866	477,025,801 487,392,751 429,366,384	\$50,783,539 56,474,685 81,243,150 83,437,287	\$61,735,949 89,172,555 52,512,472 33,453,589 70,889,351 50,349,355 95,455,909 114,957,757 96,679,762 72,251,619 74,795,675	\$49,423,105 47,687,734 59,577,583 49,939,864 65,782,634 99,080,484 51,383,412 41,436,766 58,177,460 44,087,975 55,764,815	\$366,604,587 377,273,810 463,445,001 504,659,981	450,620,781 490,639,579 525,224,683 508,505,857 497,773,443 500,301,003 429,554,451	394,404,633 483,419,516 471,233,165 499,545,003 534,950,355 460,458,385 514,392,356 418,848,341		
Total		386,355,828 \$6,196,884,821	349,091,618	**********	49,355,515 \$861,609,508	45,121,585			303,970,033		

#### NEW BUSINESS INCORPORATIONS BY STATES AND GEOGRAPHICAL REGIONS

	APR.	MAR.	FEB.	APR.	-		FOUR MC		
NEW ENGLAND	1957	1957	1957	1956		1957	1956	1955	1954
Maine	43 38	33 45	41 30	42		168	191	185	139
Vermont	32	18	18	25		83	82	84	59
Massachusetts	371 201	354 193	312 140	341 228		781	844	841	612
Rhode Island	99	91	85	108	-	401	436	424	340
Total New England	784	734	626	788		3,050	3,077	3,027	2,508
MIDDLE ATLANTIC	2,255	2,383	2,151	2,434		9,724	10,357	10,613	8,977
New Jersey	797	773	587	807		3,021	3,238	3,082	2,541
Pennsylvania	442	396	303	335	-	1,583	1,586	1,463	1,330
Total Middle Atlantic	3,494	3,552	3,041	3,576		14,328	15,181	15,158	12,848
EAST NORTH CENTRAL	569	500	654	725		2,555	3,095	2,825	2,369
Indiana	158 600	178 623	512	184		764	2,716	2,112	1,845
Michigen	331	333	284	380		1,219	1,743	1,718	1,389
Wisconsin	212	184	174	232	-	743	871	788	570
Total East North Central WEST NORTH CENTRAL	1,870	1,818	1,815	2,167		7,697	9,234	8,220	6,787
Minnesota	148	146	117	145		587	576	658	537
Missourl	193	191	173	175		238 751	310 885	285 922	694
North Dekote	18	16	23	19		60 91	79 84	78 104	67 77
Nebraska	63	73	52	45		246	242	215	170
Kenses	67	70	69	65	-	274	306	350	254
Total West North Central	576	583	486	547		2,247	2,482	2,612	1,987
SOUTH ATLANTIC	277	288	210	265		1,013	930	946	761
Virginia	290 151	3 43 160	265 124	287 181		577	1,089 825	667	975 566
West Virginia	75 149	59 173	55 264	72 169		280 743	275 656	232	259 482
South Carolina	82	83	90	81		310	372	302	245
Georgia	902	186	167 792	174 770		764 3,317	2,910	733	1,719
Total South Atlantic	2,095	2,103	1,967	1,999		8,248	7,799	7,224	5,569
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL									
Kentucky Tennessee	104	120	104	98		397 477	416 513	376 550	262 439
Alabama	101	86	92	89		394	417	3 4 4	236
Mississippi  Total East South Central	369	359	322	34		1,491	1,550	1,486	1,102
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL									
Arkansas	76 147	64	35 96	59		252	280	199	137
OklahomaLouisiana	196	156	149	125		487 724	523 653	540 555	412 367
Texas	437	307	503	733		1,536	2,222	1,829	1,414
Total West South Central	856	644	783	1,094		2,999	3,678	3,123	2,330
MOUNTAIN Montana	40	26	28	35		135	112	123	110
Wyoming	30	31	46	51		135	179 93	153	119
Colorado	172	166	136	152		653	599	732	408
Arizona	146	36 129	102	53 103		530	149 469	165 434	344
Utah Nevada	52 91	47 88	47 73	60		207 335	196 350	265 533	169 292
Total Mountain	591	542	482	562		2,224	2,147	2,522	1,635
PACIFIC									
Washington Oregon	145	116	113 76	116		526 398	591 395	641	450 257
California	1,200	1,262	1,080	1,234		4,863	5,029	5,286	3,389
Total Pacific	1,443	1,480	1,269	1,420		5,787	6,015	6,351	4,096
TOTAL 48 STATES	12,078	11,815	10,791	12,475		48,071	51,163	49,723	39,862
NEW BUS	INESS INCO	RPORATION	S-48 STATI	ES_MONTH	ILY-194	7 to Date			
1957 1956	1955	1954	1953	1952	1951	1950	1949	1948	1947
January 13,387 13,363	13,181	9,543	9,468	8,357	9,515	9,070	7,906	11,000	12,112
February 10,791 12,503 March 11,815 12,822	11,369	8,533	7,943 9,659	7,138	6,590 7,649	7,736	7,637	7,873 9,346	9,111
April 12,078 12,475	13,417 11,756 12,029	10,272	9.507	8,284	7,653	8.375	7,273	9,223	9,802
June 11,952	12,005	9,280	8,968	7,915	6,810	9,216	7,445	8,246	8,922
July 11,513 August 11,339	10,893	9,409	8,703 7,487	7,549 7,088	6,428	7,191	6,424	7,690 6,723	9,041 8,055
September 9,583	11,024	9,256	7,433	7,529	5,950	6,277	6,867	6,930	8,561
October 11,546 November 9,749	10,157	9,852	8,267 7,269	6,741	6,812	6,782	6,877	6,686	7,873
December 10,788	11,539	11,981	8,915	8,274	6,913	6,780	7,857	7,421	10,126
Total 140,775	139,651	117,164	102,545	92,819	83,649	92,925	85,491	96,101	112,638

# Failures by Divisions of Industry—April and 4 Months 1957, 1956, and 1955

	NUMBER OF FAILURES						CUR	RENT LIAE	ILLITIES I	N THOUSAND	S OF DOLL	AKS
		H OF AP			OUR MONTH			TH OF APE	1955	1957	FOUR MONTH	1955
Mining & Manufacturing:	1957	1956	1955	1957	1956	1955	1957	1956	1955	1331	1930	1933
Mining-Coal, Oil, Miscellaneous	3	3	6	24	13	22	556	315	497	5,350	3,501	2,061
Food & Kindred Products	21	17	6	65	75	53	1,035	2,073	609	4,767	5,054	4,676
Textile Mill Products & Apparel	33	30	32	182	131	172	2,705	2,749	1,036	8,124	9,267	8,739 4,712
· Lumber & Lumber Products	7	5	8	43	32	40	223	609	109	1,847	1,314	2,053
Paper, Printing & Publishing Chemicals & Allied Products	8	2	3	23	13	16	448	70	60	2.074	2,182	964
Leather & Leather Products	9	8	8	26	31	29	955	399	796	3,568	1,649	1,653
Stone, Clay & Glass Products	4	4	8	21	10	18	342	1,465	116	1,097	2,327	1,084
Iron, Steel & Products	7	14	8	39	47	5.4	907	1,336	351	19,800	4,638	6,566
Machinery	17	17	1.7	88	104	100	2,928	937	6,137	10,473	11,119	17,312
Transportation Equipment	7	5		25	21	17	627	516	1 714	2,050	8,190	2,050 8,262
Miscellaneous	43	22	28	138	126	142	4,012	1,910	1,714	11,587	8,190	
Total Mining & Manufacturing	190	186	154	825	821	762	16,286	17,142	12,653	83,553	64,880	60,132
Wholesale Trade:												
Food & Farm Products	27	19	21	100	94	107	1,642	810	1,158	7,803	3,183	4,512
Apparel	3	5	8	18	24	27	316	354	340	1,144	877	878
Dry Goods	4	2	4	10	1.4	15	127	49	121	235	300	597
Lumber, Bldg. Mfls., Hardware	17	11	12	49	58	49	928	380 102	880	2,427	3,872	305
Chemicals & Drugs	9	3	8	23 26	23	26	523	337	182	1,048	1,083	649
Miscellaneous	51	46	39	207	201	195	8,251	2,058	1,110	15,368	9,352	8,112
	115	92	93	433	428	430	11,855	4,090	3,871	29,481	18,952	17,532
Total Wholesale Trade	113	42	93	433	420	430	11,655	4,090	3,071	29,401	10,932	17,332
Retail Trade:			,									
food & Liquor	90	88	98	394	327	327	1,379	1,300	1,364	7,517	4,732	5,469
General Merchandise	27	30	18	110	98	72	2,103	1,748	609	5,827	5,034	1,970
Apparel & Accessories	100	72 55	80	43 I 372	402 280	319	2,046	1,137	2,083	8,576	8,416	9,015
Lumber, Bldg. Mtls., Hardware	39	36	33	162	122	109	1,106	1,020	989	5,257	3,748	2,816
Automotive Group	63	49	37	263	232	157	1,523	1,373	683	6,725	9,926	3,807
Eating & Drinking Places	104	89	95	435	365	347	2,966	1,353	2,412	11,506	7,326-	7,264
Drug Stores	12	12	13	55	50	46	242	699	350	1,821	1,370	1,003
Miscellaneous	51	32	42	210	205	203	871	550	1,022	5,510	3,630	3,848
Total Retail Trade	580	463	484	2,432	2,081	1,872	15,994	10,772	10,765	66,452	52,831	41,312
Construction:												
General Building Contractors	66	62	32	290	214	131	5,288	3,858	3,947	22,321	15,184	16,676
Building Sub-Contractors	93	78	72	394	321	258	2,854	2,611	2,375	12,398	12,936	9,311
Other Contractors	13	13	2	50	35	25	948	498	128	3,907	1,980	1,599
Total Construction	172	153	106	734	570	414	9,090	6,967	6,450	38,626	30,100	27,586
Commercial Service:												
Passenger & Freight Transportation	39	30	16	123	102	77	1,495	1,977	1,508	4,487	4,360	5,442
Miscellaneous Public Services	7	4	1	18	10	6	321	276	12	1,715	460	161
Cleaning, Dyeing & Repairing	7	3	2	17	37	12	498 130	. 74	15	1,978	2,133	1,900
Laundries	3	4	7	16	13	35	49	58	269	788	515 370	457 717
Under takers	1	ī		2	2	2	6	30	209	1,104	10	74
Other Personal Services	8	5	7	24	28	27	87	55	74	328	302	286
Business & Repair Services	46	35	24	139	118	98	1,292	434	300	3,794	1,659	1,506
Total Commercial Service	118	91	66	381	327	279	3,878	2,900	2,229	14,290	9,809	10,543
TOTAL UNITED STATES	1,175	985	903	4,805	4,227	3,757	57,103	41,871	35,968	232,402	176,572	157,105

#### Failures in Large Cities-April and 4 Months 1957, 1956, and 1955

		N	JMBER OF	FAILURES			CURR	ENT LIABI	LITIES IN	THOUSAND	S OF DOLLA	Aks
Cities	MONT	TH OF API	RIL	FC	OUR MONTH	4S	MOM	NTH OF APE	115		FOUR MONTH	HS
(1940 Population Ranking)	1957	1956	1955	1957	1956	1955	1957	1956	1955	1957	1956	1955
New York, N. Y	166	184	176	683	763	751	16,122	8,277	9,303	38,667	28,770	31,191
Chicago, Ills	25	18	23	104	90	98	1,815	315	707	7,882	7,716	4,114
Philadelphia, Pa	31	20	12	115	100	77	1,563	399	573	6,256	3,791	2,875
Detroit, Mich	13	6	11	80	45	40	1,113	145	2,283	4,809	1,476	5,365
Los Angeles, Cal	36	32	27	122	122	139	2,233	1,165	1,275	6,074	4,199	4,525
Cleveland, Ohio	10	5	5	46	44	27	289	178	126	1,715	1,482	1,077
Baltimore, Md	4	5	14	31	35	50	165	224	360	1,962	1,284	1,426
St. Louis, Mo	6	7	5	21	22	1.1	92	138	38	587	1,134	107
Boston, Mass	5	8	16	23	38	51	1.069	135	493	2,077	2.560	1,770
Pittsburgh, Pa	4	4	3	35	15	22	408	176	66	3,917	360	1,649
Washington, D. C	2	3	4	16	11	15	74	111	116	663	283	6,224
San Francisco, Cal	12	11	17	56	48	69	788	276	794	2,214	1,044	2,508
Milwaukee, Wisc	13	10	13	33	33	48	164	265	355	1.215	687	1,071
Buffalo, N. Y	7	5	6	27	16	22	219	140	142	1,654	1,123	820
New Orleans, La	6	4	4	16	13	14	164	88	645	555	291	1,223
Minneapolis, Minn	7	3	3	38	15	15	208	66	50	862	1,046	452
Cincinneti, Ohlo	2	5		11	16	10	158	273		422	571	452
Newark, N. J	9	5	3	26	38	30	731	106	65	1,590	2,166	2,122
Kansas City, Mo	5	2	i	21	Я	2	164	20	72	873	411	101
Indianapolis, Ind	3	î	9	10	7	8	136	40	44	868	137	265
Houston, Texas	3	3	3	11	0	1.1	77	260	61	263	1,026	487
Seattle, Wash	8	11	5	42	39	23	185	363	88	1.414	1,434	590
Rachester, N. Y	o o		4	21	18	14	165	579	22	932	1,302	157
Louisville, Ky	6	6	-	- 3	17	0	37	264		41	622	73
Denver, Col	1	6	5	41	35	20	15	173	125	3,140	970	572
Denver, Collinson					- 33			173	123	3,140	770	- 3/2
Total 25 Cities	389	368	362	1,641	1,597	1,569	28,154	14,176	17,803	90,652	65,885	71,216
Balance of Country	786	617	541	3,164	2,630	2,188	28,949	27,695	18,165	141,750	110,687	85,889
Total United States	1.175	985	903	4.805	4.227	3.757	57,103	41.871	35.968	232,402	176.572	157.105

# United States Failures by States-April and 4 Months 1957, 1956, and 1955

			MBER OF				CUB		LI LTIES IN	THOUSANDS	OF MILE	<
	MONTH	OF APRI			OUR MONTH	s		TH OF APR		6	OUR MONTH	s
New England:		1956	1955	1957	1956	1955	1957	1956	1955	1957	1956	1955
Maine New Hampshire	2 5	1 3	4	14	9	15	118 652	363	93 92	553 846	233 379	498 798
Vermon t	3	1	2	6 98	3	5	51	25 729	18	149	6,373	184
Massachusetts	26 16	26 8	16	80	132 47	138	637	672	2,145	5,773	3,144	1,693
Rhode Island	13	13	9	58	64	33	325	487	194	2,310	4,568	1,123
Total New England	65	52	78	270	259	265	3,731	2,389	2,882	28,594	14,939	9,981
Middle Atlantic:	251	24.4	224	1,019	1,018	964	21,086	11,537	10,826	54,715	38,881	39,522
New Jersey	56 67	39 60	29 41	225 305	205 236	147 215	3,119 2,859	3,026	607	13,328	10,790	8,223 9,182
Total Middle Atlantic	374	343	294	1,549	1,459	1,326	27,064	17,955	12,651	83,349	60,790	56,927
East North Central:												
Ohlo	31	31	22	211	162	117	1,100	1,391	564 443	8,583 2,218	7,728	3,694 2,370
Illinois	53	33	29	205	152	140	2,436	662	867	13,279	10,301	5.309
Wisconsin	39 32	27 19	24 32	192 88	123	81	1,776	793 451	3,147	8,589	5,526	7,206
Total East North Central	168	118	115	741	553	485	7,017	4,833	5,882	36,138	27,849	21,099
West North Central:												
Minnesota	13	14	10	71	53	13	296 145	447 59	149	2,984	2,020	3,759
Missouri	14	11	9	53	43	28	364	187	183	1,820	2,076	767
North Dekota	3	1	· i	4	4	3	79	53	20	115	129	66
Nebraska	5		2	18	10	8	73		1,508	391	442	1,889
Kensas	- 8	5	10	29	25	17	227	1,014	283	1,637	1,989	567
Total West North Central	51	35	35	210	163	110	1,193	1,766	2,190	8,730	7,581	7,706
South Attentic:	4	4	14	47	53	60	165	050	394	0.415	0.054	1 756
Maryland	3	6	16	6	2	58	92	252	15	2,415	2,254	1,735
District of Columbia	2	3	4	16	40	15	74	425	309	663	283	6,223
Virginia	6	5	5 7	25	25	35	157	89	441	1,481	1,385	716
North Carolina	7	4 7	5	41 34	36 24	20	198	101	149	1,582	823	1,443
Georgia	25	11	7	69	55	22 46	814	248	183	2.691	1,900	2,061
Florida	35	36	25	129	138	0.8	1,094	827	631	5,059	2,961	4,112
lotal South Atlantic	95	79	71	411	384	296	2,835	2,105	2,247	15,639	10,711	18,990
East South Central:				10	20	42	*22	744		220		
Kentucky Tennessee	19	6	10	65	32 59	13 46	439 706	744 140	25 417	2,128	3,026	2,225
Alabama	12	3	6	36	16	26	233	17	203	857	426	994
Total East South Central.	44	25	27	156	128	108	1,501	1,100	892	4,944	785	4,214
	**	23	2.	130	120	100	1,301	1,100	0.72	4, 244	2,490	4,214
West South Central: Arkansas	3	1	4	18	6	17	32	15	79	367	59	486
Ok tahoma	19	4	10	18	25	19	145	94	180	813	640	625
Texas	40	16	10	151	107	30 58	836	628 930	885 227	6,993	8,098	2,505
Total West South Central	66	44	29	250	183	124	2,117	1,667	1,371	10,645	10,670	5,271
Mountain:												
Montana	3	3	•;	7	14	5	73	55	16	170	210	135
Wyoming	2	i	i	4	1	5	88	25	8	226 225	157	145 76
New Mexico	6	3	5	61	52	22	176	252	125	3,751	1,479	618
Arizona	10	9	ıi.	38	36	37	147	556	111	852 1,072	2,044	791
Nevada	2 3	7 2	2 3	17	21	18	58	169	25	759	525	1,304
Total Mountain	28	36	24	161	157	106	576	1,148	398	8,247	6,511	222
Pacific:						.00	2,0	,,,,,	270	0,240	0,211	3,421
Washington Oregon	24 37	30 13	11	152	90	65	450	840	242	4,633	2,699	1,697
California	223	210	206	767	805	841	9,103	7,464	6,954	27,072	25,808	27,147
Total Pacific	284	253	230	1,057	941	937	11,069	8,908	7,455	36,116	32,023	29,496
Total United States	1,175	985	903	4,805	4,227	3,757	57,103	41,871	35,968	232,402	176,572	157,105
		Canadian	Failures b	by Province	s—April a	nd 4 Month	is 1957, 1956,	and 1955				
				FAILURES			CI	URRENT LIA	BILITIES	N THOUSANDS		
Canada:	MON1 1957	1956	1955	1957	FOUR MONT	1955	1957	1956	1955	1957	FOUR MONT 1956	HS 1955
Newfoundland			1		7	6		**	25 34	**	224	196
Prince Edward Island Nova Scotia	2	i	1	7	2	4	27	175	94	302	192	426
New Brunswick	40	**	70	6 297	947	3 3	1 602	1,030	1 868	89	243	7,931
Ontario	68	60 45	72 32	176		328 136	1,693	2,999	1,868	9,464	7,102	4,032
Manitoba	6	9	4	20	19	22	403	165	42	921	2,520	1,132
Saskatchewan	13	3	2 3	12		10	114 324		172	332 1,295	207	595 192
British Columbia	2	5	8	14			31		95	765		. 777
Total Canada	123	123	124	551	475	547	4,091	4,641	3,582	22,062	23,499	15,365

#### Failures by Industrial Groups and Size of Liabilities-April and 4 Months 1957 and 1956

(Liabilities in thousands of dollars)

Number   Cent   Total   Number   Cent   Total   Number   Cent		APRIL 1957					FOUR N	MONTHS 1957		FOUR MONTHS 1956			
Under \$5,000		Number				· Number				Number			
\$\$,000 to \$100,000\$\$ 30\$\$ 2.661 2,661 2.561 1.013 316 38.3 3,874 3,874 315 38.4 3,936 3,936 28.500\$\$ 20.5 2,661 2,661 2.56 31.02\$\$ 21.2,338 2.79 34.0 13,747 13,747 \$100,000 to \$1,000,000\$\$ 30 10.0 10.516 10.669 169 20.5 44,336 45,084 147 17.9 34,675 35.615 \$1,000,000 and Over\$\$ 1 0.5 2,041 2,041 7 0.0 22,770 23,273 9 1.1 12,299 13,150 \$100,000 and Over\$\$ 11.5 100.0 11,855 11,855 433 100.0 29,481 29,501 428 100.0 18,952 18,986 18,500 to \$150,000,000\$\$ 46 40.0 605 605 168 38.8 2,168 2,168 190 44.4 2,443 2,443 \$25,000 to \$100,000 45 39.1 2,426 2,426 174 40.2 8,855 8,855 160 37.4 7,640 7,640 \$100,000 to \$1,000,000 45 39.1 2,426 2,426 174 40.2 8,855 8,855 160 37.4 7,640 7,640 \$100,000 to \$1,000,000 2 1.8 5,932 5,932 4 0.9 8,195 1.0 10.7 7,023 7,657 \$1,000,000 and Over 2 1.8 5,932 5,932 4 0.9 8,195 8,195 1 0.2 1,140 1,14	MINING & MANUFACTURING	190	100.0	16,286	16,439	825	100.0	83,553	84,804	821	100.0	64,880	66,671
\$30,500 to \$100,000 58 30.5 2.661 2.661 256 31.0 12,338 12,338 270 34.0 13,747 13,747 15,747 15,000,000 and Over 1 0.5 2.041 2,041 7 0.9 22,770 23,273 9 1.1 12,290 13,150 10,000,000 and Over 1 0.5 2.041 2,041 7 0.9 22,770 23,273 9 1.1 12,290 13,150 10,000,000 and Over 1 0.5 2.041 2,041 7 0.9 22,770 23,273 9 1.1 12,290 13,150 10,000,000 and Over 1 0 8,7 29 29 39 9.0 108 108 34 7.9 106 106 106 \$5,000 to \$55,000 46 40.0 605 605 168 38.8 2,168 2,168 190 44.4 2,443 22,443 22,463 25,000 to \$100,000 and Over 2 1.8 5,932 2,863 48 11.1 10,155 10,175 43 10.1 7,023 7,657 10,000,000 and Over 2 1.8 5,932 5,932 4 0.9 8,195 8,195 10,175 43 10.1 7,023 7,657 10,000,000 and Over 2 1.8 5,932 5,932 4 0.0 8,195 8,195 10,000 52,831 53,000 10,000,000 1355,000 89 15.3 261 261 432 17.8 1,251 1,251 427 20.5 1,213 1,213 15,000 10,000 and Over 2 1.8 5,895 5,895 10,000 6,452 67,151 2,081 100.0 52,831 53,009 10,000 1		16	8.4	55		77	9.3	235	235		8.6	223	
\$1,000,000 to \$1,000,000.  \$1,000,000 to \$1,000,000.  \$1,000,000 to \$1,000,000.  \$1,000,000 and Over  \$1,000,000 to \$2,000.  \$1,000,000 and Over  \$1,000,000 to \$1,000,000.  \$1,000,000.  \$1,000,000 to \$25,000.  \$1,000,000	\$5,000 to \$25,000	79	41.6	1,013	1.013	316	38.3	3,874	3,874	315	38.4	3,936	3,936
\$1,000,000 to \$1,000,000.  \$1,000,000 to \$1,000,000.  \$1,000,000 and Over  \$1,000,000 to \$25,000.  \$1,000,000.  \$1,	\$25,000 to \$100,000	58	30.5	2,661	2,661	256	31.0	12,338	12.338	279	34.0	13,747	13,747
## OLESALE TRADE	\$100,000 to \$1,000,000	36	19.0		10,669	169	20.5	44,336	45.084	147	17.9	34,675	35,615
Under \$5,000	\$1,000,000 and Over	1				7	0.9		23,273	9	1.1	12,299	13,150
\$5,000 to \$150,000	WHOLESALE TRADE	115	100.0	11,855	11,855	433	100.0	29,481	29,501	428	100.0	18,952	18,986
\$5,000 to \$150,000	Under \$5.000	10	8.7	29	29	• 39	9.0	108	108	34	7.9	106	106
\$25,000 to \$100,000							38.8	2.168	2,168	190	44.4	2,443	2.443
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Under \$5,000				5,932									
\$5,000 to \$25,000	RETAIL TRADE	580	100.0	15,994	16,044	2,432	100.0	66,452	67,151	2,081	100.0	52,831	53,099
\$5,000 to \$25,000	Hader \$5,000	80	15.3	261	261	430	17.0	1.251	1.251	427	20.5	1.213	1.213
\$25,000 to \$100,000   138   23.8   5.899   5.899   5.899   5.899   22.6   24.148   24.148   45.6   21.9   18.924   18.924   18.900,000 to \$1.000,000   23   4.0   4.743   4.793   95   3.9   21.007   21.706   74   3.6   13.894   14.162   51.000,000 end Over   1									16.563				
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CONSTRUCTION													5,474
\$5,000 to \$10,000	CONSTRUCTION	172	100.0	9,090	9,090	734	100.0	38,626	38,760	570	100.0	30,100	31,092
\$5,000 to \$10,000	Hadas \$5 000	15	0.7	47	47	43	0.6	106	106	1.3	0.0	140	140
\$25,000 to \$100,000													
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#### Failures by Federal Reserve Districts by Divisions of Industry-April 1957

(Liabilities in thousands of dollars)

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	MANUFACTURING		TRADE			CONS	TRUCTION		MERCIAL ERVICE			
District:	No.	Current Liab.	No.	Current Lieb.	No.	Current Liab.	No.	Current Llab.	No.	Current Liab.	No.	Current Llab.
Boston(1)	11	937	10	326	29	2,128	7	117	6	119	63	3,627
New York (2)	68	8.532	3.4	8.810	150	3.845	34	2.516	18	436	3.04	24,139
Philadelphia	15	594	8	121	25	1,129	9	450	5	173	62	2,467
Cleveland(4)	3	246	6	150	25	571	12	846	3	14	49	1,827
Richmond	2	60	4	173	18	404	6	182	1	3	3.1	822
Atlanta	11	316	10	451	48	1,048	18	816	6	138	93	2,769
Chicago	21	2,269	1.1	457	68	1.334	18	1,363	13	298	131	5.721
St. Louis	4	304	2	113	21	314	5	415	2	168	34	1,314
Minneapolis(9)	1	118	2	60	14	284	8	202		8	26	672
Kansas Clty(10)	3	124	3	136	19	399	4	137	4	128	33	924
Dalles(11)	3	148	4	57	27	517	7	131	1.1	698	52	1,551
San francisco(12)	48	2,638	21	1,001	136	4,021	44	1,915	48	1,695	297	11,270
Total United States	190	16,286	115	11,855	580	15,994	172	9,090	118	3,878	1.175	57.103

#### Dun's Failure Index

(Apparent Annual Number of Failures per 10,000 Enterprises)

		Unadjust	ed Inde			Adjuste	d Index#	
	1957	1956	1955	1954	1957	1956	1955	1954
January	50.4	47.9	42.9	39.4	48.0	46.1	40.9	36.8
February	59.3	50.9	45.6	47.9	51.1	43 - 5	38.6	40.5
March	58.7	49.6	44.0	46.7	54.9	46.4	41.1	43.6
April	51.6	45.2	39.7	42.9	48.2	42.2	36.8	39.7
May		51.3	43.7	43.1		48 . 9	41.6	41.0
June		48.7	40.2	42.5		49.2	40.6	42.9
July		46.4	39.1	37.6		49.9	42.0	40.4
August		46.5	37.4	40.1		51.7	41.6	44.1
September		44.2	37.5	37.5		51.4	43.6	44.1
October		50.6	41.9	39.9		53.3	44.6	42.4
November		49.5	46.8	46.4		48.5	46.3	46.4
December		44.8	39.8	40.3		47.2	42.3	42.9
Mo. Average	55.0	48.0	41.6	42.0				

#### DEFINITIONS

BUSINESS FAILURES include those businesses that ceased operations following assignmentor bankruptcy; ceased with loss to creditors after such actions as execution, foreclosure, or attachment; voluntarily withdrew leaving unpaid obligations, were involved in court actions such as receivership, reorganization, or arrangement; or voluntarily compromised with creditors out of court.

CUKRENT LIABILITIES, as used in the failure kecord, have a special meaning; they include all accounts and notes payable and all obligations, whether in secured form or not, known to be held by banks, officers, affiliated companies, supplying companies, or the Government. They do not include long-term, publicly-held obligations. Offsetting assets are not taken into account.

Failures	hou	Industrial	Groups-Monthly	1955	-	Date

1955	Total Number	Mining & Mfg.	% of Total	Wholesale Trade	S of Total	Retall Trade	% of Total	Con- struction	% of Total	Commercial Service	% of Total
January	939	195	20.8	114	12.1	456	48.5	87	9.3	87	9.3
february	877	188	21.4	104	11.9	412	47.0	113	12.9	60	6.8
March	1,038	225	21.7	119	11.5	520	50.1	108	10.4	66	6.3
April	903	154	17.1	93	10.3	484	53.6	106	11.7	56	7.3
May	955	168	17.6	87	9.1	499	52.2	121	12.7	80	8.4
June	914	200	21.9	70	8.6	446	48.8	114	12.5	75	8.2
July	861	179	20.8	89	10.3	423	49.1	102	11.9	68	7.9
Augus t	888	158	17.8	107	12.1	430	48 . 4	134	15.1	59	6.6
September	822	168	20.5	99	12.0	366	44.5	114	13.9	75	9.1
October	919	180	19.6	85	9.2	437	47.6	136	14.8	81	8.8
November	945	196	20.7	84	8.9	462	48.9	133	14.1	70	7.4
December	908	191	21.0	104	11.5	404	44.5	136	15.0	73	9.0
Total Year	10,969	2,202	20.1	1,164	10.6	5,339	48.7	1,404	12.8	860	7.8
1956											
January	1,048	209	19.9	106	10.1	535	51.1	126	12.0	72	6.9
february	1.024	202	19.7	108	10.5	511	49.9	141	13.8	62	6.1
March	1,170	224	19.2	122	10.4	572	48.9	150	12.8	102	8.7
April	985	186	18.9	92	9.4	463	47.0	153	15.5	91	9.2
May	1,164	245	21.1	118	10.1	575	49.4	132	11.3	94	8.1
June	1,105	183	16.5	115	10.4	551	49.9	163	14.8	93	8.4
July	1,018	165	16.2	85	8.4	540	53.0	141	13.9	97	8.5
August	1,101	195	17.7	98	8.9	567	51.5	146	13.3	95	8.6
September	932	140	15.0	85	9.1	489	52.5	146	15.7	72	7.7
October	1,158	198	17.1	112	9.7	58 4	50.4	182	15.7	92	7.1
November	999	166	10.6	94	9.4	482	40.3	171	17.1	86	8.6
December	982	172	17.5	72	7.3	472	48.1	183	18.6	83	8.5
Total Year	12,686	2,285	18.0	1,207	9.5	6,341	50.0	1,834	14.5	1,019	8.0
1957											
January	1,148	197	17.2	91	7.9	612	53.3	177	15.4	71	6.2
February	1,146	199	17.4	106	9.2	568	49.6	180	15.7	93	8.1
March	1,336	239	17.9	121	9.1	672	50.3	205	15.3	99	7.4
Apr 11	1,175	190	16.2	115	9.8	580	49.4	172	14.6	118	10.0
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# Failures by Size of Liabilities—Monthly—1955 to Date \$ of \$5,000 to \$ of \$25,000 to \$ of

1955	Total Number	\$5,000	% of Total	\$5,000 to \$25,000	% of Total	\$25,000 to \$100,000	% of Total	\$1,000,000	% of Total	\$1,000,000 and Over	% of Total
January	939	133	14.2	484	51.5	256	27.3	62	6.6	4	0.4
February	877	108	12.3	453	51.7	242	27.6	70	8.0	4	0.4
March	1.038	161	15.5	521	50.2	270	26.0	93	8.0	3	0.3
Apr 11	903	159	17.6	469	52.0	216	23.9	56	6.2	3	0.3
May	955	163	17.1	484	50.7	253	26.5	52	5.4	3	0.3
June	914	170	18.6	420	45.9	241	26.4	82	9.0	ĭ	0.1
July	861	149	17.3	420	48.8	232	27.0	58	6.7	2	0.2
August	888	157	17.7	431	49.5	223	25.1	76	8.6	î	0.1
September	822	129	15.7	388	47.2	227	27.6	76	9.2	2	0.3
October	919	145	15.8	469	51.1	248	27.0	54	5.8	3	0.3
November	945	152	16.1	464	49.1	247	26.1	76	8.1	6	0.6
December	908	159	17.5	409	45.0	261	28.8	75	8.3	4	0.4
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Total Year	10,969	1,785	16.3	5,412	49.3	2,916	26.6	820	7.5	36	0.3
1956											
January	1.048	178	17.0	490	46.7	303	28.9	73	7.0	4	0.4
february	1,024	159	15.5	468	45.7	282	27.5	110	10.8		0.5
March	1,170	184	15.7	594	50.8	303	25.9	86	7.3	3	0.3
Apr 11	985	137	13.9	489	49.7	279	28.3	76	7.7	1	0.4
May	1.164	194	16.7	579	49.7	278	23.9	109	9.4	7	0.3
June	1.105	193	17.5	505	45.7	322	29.1	81	7.3		0.4
July	1,018	175	17.2	486	47.7	302	29.7	50	4.9	5	0.5
August	1,101	198	18.0	515	46.8	269	24.4	111	10.1		0.7
September	932	127	13.6	487	52.3	245	26.3	71	7.6	2	0.2
October	1,158	188	16.2	560	48.3	303	26.2	104	9.0	3	0.3
November	999	152	15.2	491	49.2	282	28.2	72	7.2	2	0.2
December	982	147	15.0	488	49.7	263	26.8	79	8.0	5	0.5
Total Year	12,686	2,032	16.0	6,152	48.5	3,431	27.0	1,022	8.1	49	0.4
1957											
January	1.148	173	15.0	543	47.3	306	26.7	124	10.8	2	0.2
february	1,146	178	15.5	539	47.0	325	28.4	100	8.7	4	0.4
March	1,336	183	13.7	698	52.2	344	25.7	105	7.9	6	0.5
Apr 11	1,175	149	12.7	584	49.7	338	28.8	99	8.4	5	0.4
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